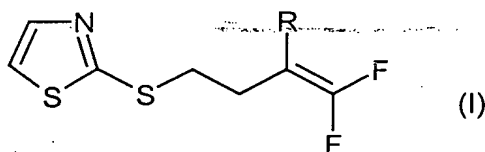


Preparation of 2-[(3-butenyl)sulphanyl]-1,3-thiazol

Abstract

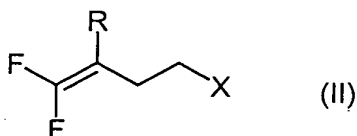
The present invention relates to a process for preparing compounds of the formula (I)



where

R is H or F,

characterized in that a compound of the formula (II)



where

X is halogen, mesylate or tosylate

is reacted with a thiocyanate, the reaction product is reacted with  $H_2S$  or one of its salts to give a dithiocarbamate which is then reacted with acetaldehyde, chloroacetaldehyde or chloroacetaldehyde dialkyl acetal,

and also to intermediates used in this process.